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MARCARINE PRODUCTION

February 1940

According to reports of manufacturers to the Agricultural Marketing Service, United States production of margarine during February 1940 totaled 29,277,000 pounds. This quantity is 1,457,000 pounds heavier than the quantity produced during February 1939 but 5,187,000 pounds less than the 5-year (1935-39) average February production.

Of the total quantity manufactured 25,699,000 pounds were from vegetable and nut oils and 3,578,000 pounds from animal and vegetable oils.

Date		and ble Oils	:Vogetable and :Nut Oils	: Total
	:Uncolored	:Colored	:Uncolored:Colored	:
	:	- Thousa	nd pounds -	:
February 1940	•		: 25,582 : 117	•
February 1939	.: 3,232 :	: 39	: 24,461 : 88 : :	: 27,820 :
average 1935-39	4,047	: 124	: 30,199 : 94	: 34,464
	- 1939 -			
November 1939	•		: 25,081 : 105	•
December 1939	•		: 22,720 : 111	•
January 1940	: 3,245	: 36	: 25,843 : 113	: 29,237
	- -	- Yearly	Totals -	
Total 1939	: 34,492	: 392	: 265,478 : 1,045	: 301,407
Total 1938	: 38,267	: 500	: 340,300 : 1,026	: 380,093
Total 1957	•		: 349,477 : 955	
Total 1936		•	•	: 390,898
Total 1935		•	•	: 378,677
Total 1934	: 52,511	: 2,129	: 207,468 : 792	: 262,900

